

**Terms of Subscription**  
Two Dollars and fifty cents in advance.  
\$3 00 at the end of three months.  
No paper discontinued until all arrears are paid, except at the option of the publishers. No subscription received for less than twelve months. We will pay the postage on letters containing Five Dollars and upwards, and money may be remitted through the mail at our risk. The Postmaster's certificate of such remittance shall be a sufficient receipt therefor.  
Letters to the proprietors on business connected with this establishment, must be post paid.

**OUR CIRCULATION.**  
We mean to keep the following paragraph standing for the benefit of all whom it may concern:  
ADVERTISING.—We would commend the following facts to the attention of the advertising community. The "Wilmington Journal," circulated upwards of 12,000 copies weekly, its circulation in the town of Wilmington is as large as that of any other paper published in the place. We would further state that its circulation in the counties which trade to this place is three times as large as that of any other paper published in North Carolina, and that its list is daily increasing. We say, therefore, without the fear of contradiction, that it is the best vehicle for advertising which the people of Wilmington can select. One other observation. We think, that although a large majority of the readers of the "Journal" are Democrats, still occasionally a little trade, as well as the readers of the white papers. We have written the above merely for the information of those who are most deeply interested—business men of all professions and all political creeds—who want customers.

**MAIL ARRANGEMENTS.**  
**Post Office, Wilmington.**  
NORTHERN MAIL, by Rail Road, due daily at 10 A. M., and close at 10 P. M.  
SOUTHERN MAIL, by Steamer from Charleston, is due daily at 8 A. M., and closes at 11 A. M. every day.  
FAVRETTVILLE MAIL, by Steamer, is due on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, at 3 P. M., and closes on same days at 10 P. M.  
FAVRETTVILLE MAIL, by Prospect Mail, Elizabethtown, Washington, and Tidewater, is due on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, at 7 A. M., and closes on same days at 10 P. M.  
SMITHVILLE MAIL, by Steamer, is due daily at 8 A. M., and closes at 12 P. M. every day.  
TAYLOR'S BRIDGE, LONG CREEK, MOORE'S CREEK, BLACK RIVER CREEK, and HANCOCK'S CREEK, is due every Thursday at 6 P. M., and closes same night at 10.  
OVERLOOK CREEK, STUMP CREEK, and TOWSON, is due every Monday at 4 P. M., and closes every Thursday night at 10 P. M.

**PRINTING**  
OF EVERY DESCRIPTION,  
Neatly executed with despatch, on  
liberal terms for cash, at the  
JOURNAL OFFICE.

**DAVID FULTON,**  
ATTORNEY AT LAW,  
WILMINGTON, N. C.

**JAMES I. BRYAN,**  
Commission Merchant,  
NUTT'S BUILDING—Next door to  
[30-ft] HALL & ARMSTRONG.

**GILLESPE & ROBESON**  
Continue the AGENCY business, and will make liberal advances on consignments of  
Lumber, Naval Stores, &c. &c.  
Wilmington, August 1st, 1845.

**JOHN HALL,**  
(LATE OF WILMINGTON, NORTH CAROLINA.)  
COMMISSION MERCHANT.  
AND AGENT FOR THE SALE OF  
NORTH CAROLINA NAVAL STORES,  
33 GRAVIER STREET, New Orleans.  
Jan. 8, 1847.—[17-3m]

**MYERS & BARNUM,**  
Manufacturers & Dealers in  
HATS AND CAPS.  
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL,  
MARKET STREET—Wilmington, N. C.

**GORGE W. DAVIS,**  
Commission and Forwarding  
MERCHANT,  
LONDON'S WARE, WILMINGTON, N. C.

**ROBT. G. BARKIN,**  
Auctioneer & Commission Merchant,  
WILMINGTON, N. C.

Liberal advances made on shipments to his friends  
in New York.  
September 21, 1844. 1-4f.

**WM. DEBERNIERE,**  
INSPECTOR  
OF  
LUMBER AND TIMBER.  
WILMINGTON, N. C.  
Feb. 19, 1847. 23-3m.

**Just Received,**  
AND now opening, another lot of these beautiful SILK VELVET CAPS for Infants and other styles in great variety. Call and see them at  
MYERS & BARNUM'S.  
November 20, 1846

**DRY GOODS,**  
Mostly of domestic manufacture, purchased low and for sale as follows:  
Kentucky Jeans, Negro Cloths, Bad Tick, Cotton Duck, brown Drill, do. and bleached Shirtings and Sheetings, white, red and yellow Flannels, Ravens and Bear Duck; a splendid lot of Calicoes, Satinets, wool Plaids, cotton and silk Handkerchiefs, Cambric, Superfines, Cambric, cotton and linen Thread, Buttons, Tapes, Sewing Silk, &c. &c. For sale at STANTON & CO'S.

**ISH—100 quints Cod Fish,**  
5 half bbls. No. 1 Mackerel,  
2 boxes Herrings, 200 small Tuna, for sale very low at  
120 lbs No. 1 Mackerel,  
100 lbs Salina Salt,  
100 boxes do. do. For sale low at  
[March 5.] HOWARD & PEDEN'S.

**MAILS—50 kegs best quality.** For sale low  
by HOWARD & PEDEN.  
March 5, 1847.

**PANAMA, LEHIGH AND PALM LEAF**  
HATS.  
JUST RECEIVED, splendid assortment.  
For sale at wholesale and retail very cheap—  
Country Merchants are invited to examine our stock, which we will sell at New York prices.  
MYERS & BARNUM,  
Market Street.  
March 12, 1847.

**BALTIMORE PACKED BEER—10 bbls. and 10 1/2 do.** 1/2 Mena Beer, 300 small Tuna, for sale very low at  
HOWARD & PEDEN'S.  
CANDLES—20 boxes Sperm, 20 do. Adamantine  
20 do. Mould Candles. For sale by  
HOWARD & PEDEN.

**Dissolution of Copartnership.**  
THE Copartnership heretofore existing under the firm of GREGORY & HEATH, at Nahunta Depot, Wayne county, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.  
RICHARD J. GREGORY,  
WM. L. P. HEATH.  
March 1, (12) 1847.—[26-1m]

**NOTICE.**  
MR. H. S. HAMLET having purchased the interest in stock, notes and accounts of Mr. GREGORY, and become responsible for the part of the debts due by the firm of GREGORY & HEATH, hereafter the concern will be carried on under the title and name of  
W. L. P. HEATH & Co.  
March 12, 1847.—[26-1m]

**TARCH—50 boxes Prime Satchel, 1 do. No. 1 do.** For sale by  
HOWARD & PEDEN.

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**STATE OF NORTH-CAROLINA.**  
NEW HANOVER COUNTY.  
Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions,  
March Term, 1847.

Thomas Marshall, vs. Original Attachment—Levied upon a negro woman named Daphne.  
Charles J. Relya, Plaintiff.  
T. T. appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, that Charles J. Relya, the defendant in this case, so absconds or conceals himself that the ordinary process of the law cannot be served upon him; on motion, it is ordered that publication be made for six weeks in the Wilmington Journal, notifying said defendant that unless he appears at the next term of this Court, to be held at the Court-house, in the town of Wilmington, on the second Monday in June next, and pleads to issue or reply, the property levied on will be sold to satisfy plaintiff's demand.  
Teste, L. H. MARSTELLER, Ck.  
March 26, 1847. [Pr. fee, \$5 62 1/2] 28-6f

**STATE OF NORTH-CAROLINA.**  
NEW HANOVER COUNTY.  
Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions,  
March Term, 1847.

John Gamwell, vs. Original Attachment—Levied upon two Turpentine Stills, Still Worms & Tubs, one Steam Engine, and the Lands on which said Stills are situated, at the old negro head ferry, on the east side of the North-east river.  
Henry H. Tappan, Plaintiff.  
James O. Smith, Defendant.  
T. T. appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, that Henry H. Tappan and James O. Smith, the defendants in this case, so abscond or conceal themselves that the ordinary process of the law cannot be served upon them; on motion, it is ordered that publication be made for six weeks in the Wilmington Journal, notifying said defendants that unless they appear at the next term of this Court, to be held at the Court-house, in the town of Wilmington, on the second Monday in June next, and pleads to issue or reply, the property levied on will be sold to satisfy plaintiff's demand.  
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Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions,  
March Term, 1847.

Neff & Warner and Alex. MacLae, vs. Original Attachment—Levied upon two Turpentine Stills, Still Worms & Tubs, one Steam Engine, and the Lands on which said Stills are situated, at the old negro head ferry, on the east side of the North-east river.  
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Neff & Warner and Murphy V. Jones, vs. Original Attachment—Levied upon two Turpentine Stills, Still Worms & Tubs, one Steam Engine, and the Lands on which said Stills are situated, at the old negro head ferry, on the east side of the North-east river.  
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**SPRING STOCK!**  
**BOOTS & SHOES.**  
THE subscribers have just received large additions to their stock, which make it complete. They will also continue to receive weekly, such supplies as are needed for the season and market. Also on hand, a good supply of  
SOLE LEATHER, CALF SKINS, &c., all of which will be sold on as reasonable terms as at any other establishment.  
Particular attention will be paid to manufacturing and repairing, as usual.  
G. C. BRADLEY.  
March 26, 1847.—[28-3m]

**A CHANCE.**  
THE subscriber finding that his duties as Inspector of Naval Stores occupy so large a portion of his time that he cannot pay that attention to the Hanover House which necessarily devolves upon the keeper of a hotel; he therefore takes this method of making known to those who may be disposed to go into that line of business, that he is determined to sell out the furniture of said establishment. He would prefer doing so at private sale, but if not sold before the 29th day of April next, he will then expose for sale at public auction all the furniture of said hotel—at which time the house will be rented until the 1st of October next, and the servants of the establishment will be hired until the 1st of January, 1848.  
JOHN H. JAMES.  
March 26, 1847.—[28-2w]

# Wilmington Journal.

GOD, OUR COUNTRY, AND LIBERTY.

WILMINGTON, N. C., FRIDAY, APRIL 9, 1847.

## LIST OF LETTERS.

REMAINING in the Post Office at Wilmington, on the 31st of March, 1847.  
Those whose names appear on this list, are requested to ask for advertised Letters.

Anderson, capt J  
Artis, Clinton  
Avery, L. D.  
Arthur, J. A.  
A. Abrahams, E. & M  
Armstrong, Alfred M  
Artis, Elvin.  
Brown, miss John A  
Baker, capt John  
Burriss, Delia  
Bones, miss Caroline  
Baber, miss E  
Bean, miss Mary C  
Binkley, J W  
Barlow, W T  
Bluford, W M  
Bogen, miss  
Baton, mr M  
Blommingdale,  
(W L & Son  
Bryant, Hosea  
Busee, C  
Bryant, Charles T  
Bull, James  
Blanks, E J  
Barus, Wm  
Burk, Eliza  
Bryant, Joseph  
Barker, miss A  
Bell, Z  
Bee, S  
Bangs, Michael  
Francis, John  
Bowden, L H  
Bryant, D M  
Batie, Rev A J  
Berry, Stephen A  
Buller, mr  
Bordeaux, R M  
Baily, miss E  
Bettis, Rev Charles B  
Baber, D B  
Bordeaux, J A  
Brown, John  
Bradley, mr M  
Corbet, James  
Craig, John  
Crawford, J B  
Cale, James  
Cox, Josiah  
Calligan,  
Carter, Cornelius  
Craig, Wm  
Covington, Joseph  
Cardwell,  
Cowan, Randall  
Chambers miss E  
Crane, Joseph  
Cardin, E B  
Cummings, W  
Cargrove, Peter  
Cole, capt A W  
Crag, Wm  
Crag, Wm  
Coston, John  
Candler, E & Co  
Cameron, F L  
Creg, John B  
Cardwell, capt M C V  
Dehler, mr  
Dow, John  
Daring Thomas  
Dexter, J P  
Daniel, J  
Ducan, J W  
Dole, G L  
Dunham, T W  
Davenport, W  
Dural, J B  
Dyer, M A  
Drisk, miss P E  
Drake & Co  
Duling, capt  
Eustis, capt J  
Ennis, Christopher  
Elves, John  
Emmett, W C  
Ehorn, E  
Ehorn, Thomas S  
Emerson, John  
Farrow, John T  
Forsitt, mr  
Frost, G  
Fair, J C  
Flintoff, W R  
Flinks, John  
Forbes, James  
Fanning, B  
Fields & Co  
Godfrey, M S  
Gibert, W  
Gerrard, W B  
Gould, Jesse  
Goldwin, David  
Greenleaf, T  
Gothwalt, Isaac  
Holton & Osborn  
Horton, J  
Hilliard, J R  
Hudgins, W B  
Hart, F W  
Hoster, miss M J  
Hand & Williams  
Higgins, H J  
Holmes, C L  
Harris, T R  
Herrington, Susan  
Hockett, Jos W  
Haze, Patent  
Humphrey, C R  
James, F C  
Johnson, John  
Jones, R D  
J O O F  
Ketcham, D S  
Kornegay, L  
Kross, John  
Kelly, D F  
Lockland, S  
Lane, A  
Luce, Hiram  
Laurier, A R  
Lyon, T R  
Miller, John  
Mills, W J  
Miller, miss S  
Murphy, Henry  
Murray, S  
Monteville, J  
Mitchell, James  
McLendon, J R  
Morris, miss M  
Mathews, J A  
Marshall, E C  
McDaniel, George  
Morrison, H O  
Mills, William  
Molton, Francis  
McClammy, Geo  
Nichols, James  
Norris, George W  
Nelson, John  
Northam, J B  
Natali, Peter  
Norton, James  
Norton, miss R  
Nichols, Alexander  
Piner, miss M E  
Price, miss Susan

## BY AUTHORITY.

Laws of the United States, Passed at the second Session of the 29th Congress.

AN ACT making appropriations for the support of the Military Academy for the year ending on the thirtieth of June, one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight.  
Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the following sums be, and the same are hereby appropriated, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the support of the Military Academy for the year ending on the thirtieth of June, one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight:  
For pay of officers, instructors, cadets, and musicians, seventy-nine thousand seven hundred and sixty-four dollars.  
For commutation of subsistence, five thousand four hundred and twenty dollars.  
For forage for officers' horses, four thousand three hundred and twenty dollars.  
For clothing of officers' servants, four hundred and twenty dollars.  
For repairs and improvements; fuel and apparatus; forage for public horses and oxen; stationery, printing, and other incidental and contingent expenses, twenty thousand dollars.  
For barracks for cadets, fifteen thousand dollars.  
JOHN W. DAVIS,  
Speaker of the House of Representatives.  
G. M. DALLAS,  
Vice President of the United States and President of the Senate.  
APPROVED March 2, 1847.  
JAMES K. POLK.

AN ACT making appropriations for the service of the Post Office Department for the year ending the thirtieth of June, eighteen hundred and forty-eight.  
Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the following sums of money be, and the same are hereby appropriated, for the service of the Post Office Department, for the year ending the thirtieth of June, eighteen hundred and forty-eight, out of any money in the treasury arising from the revenues of the said department in conformity to the act of the second of July, eighteen hundred and thirty-six, namely: That each Deputy Postmaster, whose compensation for the last preceding year did not exceed two hundred dollars, may send through the mail all letters written by himself, and receive through the mail all written communications addressed to himself on his private business which shall not exceed in weight, one half pound, free of postage.  
For ship, steamboat, and way letters, seventeen thousand dollars.  
For wrapping paper, sixteen thousand dollars.  
For office furniture, (for the offices of postmasters,) three thousand dollars.  
For advertising, thirty thousand dollars.  
For mail boxes, twenty thousand dollars.  
For blanks, seventeen thousand dollars.  
For mail locks, keys, and stamps, four thousand dollars.  
For mail depredations and special agents, thirteen thousand dollars: Provided, That the Postmaster General be, and he is hereby, authorized to employ, when the service may require it, the assistant postmasters general as special agents, and to make them, compensable in all allowances therefor not to exceed the amount expended by said agents as necessary traveling expenses while so employed.  
For clerks for offices, (in the offices of postmasters,) two hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars.  
For miscellaneous, fifty thousand dollars.  
Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That in case the revenues of the department referred to in the first section of this act, shall prove insufficient to meet the foregoing appropriations, the deficiency that may arise, shall be paid out of any moneys in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.  
Sec. 3. And be it further enacted, That the assistant messengers of the Post Office Department shall be entitled to an annual salary of four hundred and fifty dollars.  
Sec. 4. And be it further enacted, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to pay to Howard and Aspinwall, of the city of New York, the sum of five thousand dollars, with interest from the first day of November, eighteen hundred and thirty-five, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, being the amount of a draft drawn by James Reside, on the Post Office Department, dated the eighteenth day of April, eighteen hundred and thirty-five, payable on the first day of November, eighteen hundred and thirty-five, and the same is hereby, further extended to the first day of July, in the year eighteen hundred and forty-nine, until which time said act shall be in full force, for the sole purpose of enabling the president and directors of the said bank, for the time being, to close its affairs: Provided, That said bank shall not exercise any banking privileges, or any other powers, except to collect and pay its debts, and close up its business.  
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For ship, steamboat, and way letters, seventeen thousand dollars.  
For wrapping paper, sixteen thousand dollars.  
For office furniture, (for the offices of postmasters,) three thousand dollars.  
For advertising, thirty thousand dollars.  
For mail boxes, twenty thousand dollars.  
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For mail locks, keys, and stamps, four thousand dollars.  
For mail depredations and special agents, thirteen thousand dollars: Provided, That the Postmaster General be, and he is hereby, authorized to employ, when the service may require it, the assistant postmasters general as special agents, and to make them, compensable in all allowances therefor not to exceed the amount expended by said agents as necessary traveling expenses while so employed.  
For clerks for offices, (in the offices of postmasters,) two hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars.  
For miscellaneous, fifty thousand dollars.  
Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That in case the revenues of the department referred to in the first section of this act, shall prove insufficient to meet the foregoing appropriations, the deficiency that may arise, shall be paid out of any moneys in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.  
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Sec. 4. And be it further enacted, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to pay to Howard and Aspinwall, of the city of New York, the sum of five thousand dollars, with interest from the first day of November, eighteen hundred and thirty-five, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, being the amount of a draft drawn by James Reside, on the Post Office Department, dated the eighteenth day of April, eighteen hundred and thirty-five, payable on the first day of November, eighteen hundred and thirty-five, and the same is hereby, further extended to the first day of July, in the year eighteen hundred and forty-nine, until which time said act shall be in full force, for the sole purpose of enabling the president and directors of the said bank, for the time being, to close its affairs: Provided, That said bank shall not exercise any banking privileges, or any other powers, except to collect and pay its debts, and close up its business.  
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**VALUABLE LAND AT AUCTION.**  
THE undersigned being empowered by Z. M. Williams of Marion county, Georgia, to settle his business in North Carolina, will sell to the highest bidder, on a credit of one and two years, a valuable tract of Pine land in Duplin county, situated on either side of the Wilmington and Raleigh Railroad and near the 43d mile mark. Purchasers will be required to give notes and approved security before the title is conveyed.—The sale will be made in the town of Kenansville, at the Court-house, between the hours of one and two o'clock, on Tuesday, the 20th day of April next. All persons wishing to see said lands, can be shown the same by visiting J. K. Williams, in said county. The land is very heavy timbered, and well adapted to the Turpentine and Timber business. The tract contains 567 acres.  
J. K. WILLIAMS,  
W. B. WELLS.  
Stricklands, N. C. March, 12, 1847 26-6w.

**Lumber and Timber.**  
I OFFER my services to the makers of the above articles, and from the knowledge I have of the business, I hope to gain the patronage of the public.  
JAS. T. MORRIS, Inspector.  
March 26, 1847.—[28-5f]

**STRAWBERRIES**  
in succession from May to October.  
FROM FOUR VARIETIES.  
The Boston Pine, Hovey's Seedling, The Common Red Wood, and Stoddard's Seedling, Alpine. The plants are for sale by P. PAULIER, Middletown Point, N. J., and Wm. Shaw, Agent, Wilmington.  
A sheet containing important information in relation to these varieties, chiefly extracts from the  
MAGAZINE OF HORTICULTURE, HORTICULTURIST,  
and other periodicals, is sent gratuitously with the plants. A supply of the above plant is daily expected per J. D. Jones. Orders from the country will be strictly attended to if sent soon.  
WM. SHAW.  
April 2d 1847

**CORRAGE AND PACKING.**—Manilla and Hemp Rope, Ratling and spun Yarn, 1000 lbs. Russia Packing. R H STANTON & CO

**Mexican Political News.**—The Philadelphia U. S. Gazette publishes extracts from a letter, to San Blas on the Pacific—forty thousand copies, which are very interesting in their details. The writer states that it is the desire of ten or eleven States of North Mexico to declare themselves an independent Federal Republic. This he says can easily be done by the assistance of the United States troops, and they are willing, if successful, to give up the Rio Grande as our boundary, and as much of California as we wish.

The plan proposed, he says, is as follows:— "We have possession of Tampico—therefore take the line of the 22d latitude, San Luis Potosi, Aguas Calientes, Tepic, &c., to San Blas on the Pacific—fortify those points strongly and garrison them with plenty of troops, and let the Mexicans come and take them if they can. You then separate Mexico from the States of San Luis Potosi, Durango, New Leon, Zacatecas, Tamaulipas, Coahuila, Chihuahua, Sinaloa, Sonora, New Mexico, and the Territories, and perhaps Jalisco, they then establish this line, the states before named will immediately declare themselves independent, and separate forever from the Republic of Mexico. By this means (while you keep up a strict and vigorous blockade on the Atlantic and Pacific) you can cut off Mexico from nearly all her supplies of wheat, corn, beef cattle, horses, sheep and goats, and cotton for her manufactures."

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